

fully happy with their precious treasure hoping it would be spared them but alas, God had planned otherwise. A few days previous to its death it was seized with the illness which caused the death. The body was laid to rest in the Long Branch Cemetery Friday P. M. Funeral services conducted by Rev. N. G. Wright, of Belton. Our sympathy goes out to these bereaved parents. May He comfort them in these sad hours and teach them to say—

"The Lord Gave and the Lord taketh. Blessed be the name of the Lord."

Miss Carrie McGee of Honea Path and Miss Lillian Mattison of Greenville visited at the home of Mr. M. A. McGee Sunday and Monday.

Mr. Clarence and Miss Bertha Milford spent Sunday in Greenville.

Misses Cora and Bessie Shirley left Monday for a stay of several weeks in New York. Paymaster M. O. Shirley is now stationed in the U. S. Navy yards, Brooklyn and they go to visit him. They will spend a few days in Washington as the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Bunker.

Mr. Orrin Milford came home Monday. Mr. Milford is a recent graduate of Furman University and he with other members of the College Glee Club have been on a tour of the State since school closed. The Glee Club has had quite a successful record this year and it is largely due to Mr. Milford's untiring efforts.

SOLICITOR COOPER TO SPEAK.

The Second Baptist Church of Belton will have a Sunday School Rally Sunday, July 12. Several speakers of prominence will be on hand and will make addresses. Solicitor R. A. Cooper of Laurens, who is a candidate for the office of governor of the State of South Carolina, will be among those who will speak on this occasion. Mr. Cooper has already accepted an invitation to be present on this occasion. Quite a large crowd will be on hand at the Sunday School rally.

HOG KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

C. F. Cox, a resident and hustling farmer of Honea Path route one, had the misfortune Wednesday of losing a fine hog by lightning. The hog weighed about 200 pounds. Several other hogs were stunned, but recovered from the shock.

HOUSE BLOWN OFF PILLARS

The wind of last Wednesday was very severe near Honea Path. Stanley King's house was blown from the pillars and set off to one side—No one was at home at the time.

A negro house which was occupied by Warren Williams, a negro of near Honea Path, was blown down and completely demolished. No one was at home.

REYNOLDS-JORDAN.

Miss Netta Reynolds and J. C. Jordan, both of Anderson, were happily married Sunday afternoon at the home of H. C. Martin, of the Campbell Store section. The bride and groom are very popular and their many friends wish them a happy and prosperous life.

PICNIC OF MUSIC CLASS.

Mrs. R. L. Parker gave a picnic to her music class Thursday evening, June 11, at Williamston Park. The Mrs. Parker and every one present had a very enjoyable time. Mrs. Parker is noted for her entertaining qualities and those who attended the picnic are anxiously awaiting for the next one to be announced.

AUTOMOBILE PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Stringer gave an automobile party at High Shoals Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Gertrude Smith, of Walhalla, who is the guest of Miss Leda Poore this week. Those in the party were: Miss Gertrude Smith, Miss Leda Poore, Miss Baker, of Richmond, and Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Stringer and little son, Kenneth. The occasion was a pleasant one.

PROTRACTED MEETING.

A protracted meeting will begin at the Presbyterian Church in Belton on the first Sunday in July and will continue one week. Rev. J. E. Wallace, of Westminster, will conduct this week's service. A very profitable meeting is hoped for. The public is cordially invited to attend.

PROF. WATKINS RE-ELECTED.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Belton High School some few days ago Prof. J. B. Watkins was unanimously re-elected principal of the school. Professor Watkins has had charge of the school for two years and has given perfect satisfaction and

his many friends here are glad that he will remain in Belton at the head of the school. He is an able and energetic worker and has "delivered the goods" in his line. He takes a very active part in church and Sunday school work and would be greatly missed were he to leave our town.

It is understood that some of the teachers will return—some five or six of them at least. Everyone who taught here last session could have returned if they had so desired, their work in the school having been very satisfactory. The new faculty will be announced in the near future.

MR. RICE RETURNS.

Mr. Max Rice has returned from Charleston, where he was invited to appear before the Southern Textile Association to demonstrate the Comptometer, a new machine which adds, subtracts, multiplies and divides. This was quite a compliment to Mr. Rice and shows what confidence the mill authorities have in his ability. Mr. Rice was absent about a week and had a thoroughly enjoyable trip.

NEW FIRM IN TOWN.

The firm of W. E. Murray & Company has opened business in Belton. W. E. Murray and his son are proprietors. These gentlemen came here from Spartanburg and are in the lightning rod business. They will work Belton and surrounding community. Mr. Murray brought his family here with him. They are occupying the Stokes residence on River street.

MR. TOWNES A CANDIDATE.

Elsewhere in this issue of the Journal will be found the card of W. F. Townes. Mr. Townes is a candidate in the approaching election for county commissioner for Belton, Broadway, Honea Path and Martin Township. He was born 35 years ago in Honea Path Township, where he has resided ever since. Mr. Townes is a good farmer—one who makes a good, honest living. He is a good all-round man. He has had a great deal of experience in building roads and bridges. His promise, if elected, is that he will give his townships an economical administration—treating all townships alike—and will spend the people's money to the best advantage possible. His many friends predict that he will be a strong candidate and will push and pull for his election.

Miss Sara Latimer is entertaining a house party this week composed of the following guests: Misses Meta Rountree, Wilmington, N. C., Florence Page, Aberdeen, N. C., Ida Winslip, Atlanta, Ga., Mary Brown, Atlanta, Ga., Alberta Brock, Anderson, S. C., Laura Horton, Anderson, S. C., Janie Earle, Greenville, S. C., Jennie Todd, Augusta, Ga., Messrs George Brown, Atlanta, Ga., Tom Crawford, Washington, D. C., Grady Miller, Washington, D. C., Rufus Hill, Anderson, S. C., Louis, Ledbetter, Anderson, S. C., Clarence Watts, Huntsville, Ala., and Lucius Todd, Augusta, Ga. These young people have been the recipients of quite a number of social entertainments and are having a delightful party.

ENSIGN GEER AND WIFE IN BELTON.

Ensign S. Haddon Geer, who was a very prominent figure in the battle at Vera Cruz, is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Geer this week. Mrs. Geer arrived in Belton Sunday and is spending this week with her husband here.

Mr. Geer has several rifles with him captured during the desperate fight at Vera Cruz. 17 Americans were killed in this battle and 399 Mexicans before Vera Cruz was taken.

Ensign Geer has many friends in Belton, his old home, and his stay here will be very pleasant.

MRS. COX BETTER.

We are glad to state that Mrs. F. M. Cox, who was so badly burned last week by the explosion of a gasoline iron, is improving rapidly. Her children are suffering with whooping cough now but she hopes they are over the worst of it.

STILL CAPTURED.

Sheriff Ashley, Deputy Sheriff J. Oland Sanders, Detective J. W. Smith and W. P. Drewno, made a raid Saturday afternoon six miles of Anderson and captured a still and found three hundred gallons of beer, which was destroyed. The still was taken to Anderson.

George Willford, colored, was arrested and placed in the county jail on the charge of transporting blockade

whiskey. When arrested he had something like a gallon of whiskey on his person. This negro, it is believed, was operating the still seized Saturday by the officers. Willford pleaded guilty to the charge of violating the dispensary law at the last term of court and was fined \$100.00.

BELTON LIBRARY.

The Library Association has received quite a number of new books, especially for boys and they are sure the boys will find these even more interesting than the ones they had before.

DEATH OF AN INFANT.

On the morning of June the 12th the death angel crossed the threshold of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Martin and bore from earth to heaven, the sweet spirit of their darling baby boy, aged one month. The little body was laid to rest the following day in Long Branch cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. N. G. Wright.

Another little lamb has gone to dwell with Him who gave it. Another little darling babe is sheltered in the grave. God needed one more angel child, amid his shining band.

And to be stooped with gentle care and grasped your darling's hand. A FRIEND.

TONY CREEK.

Mr. E. S. Cothran and Mr. M. F. Cothran went on a business trip to Greenwood last Monday.

Mr. Berry Owens of Westminster is visiting his parents, this week.

Miss Lila Hindman and Mr. Alpheus Patterson of Williamston attended Sunday school at Cedar Shoal last Sunday.

Messrs. J. T. and J. N. Cothran attended church service at Cheddar last Sunday.

Mr. C. D. Smith of Fountain Inn was a visitor in this community last Saturday night.

Miss Clara Cothran entertained a few of her friends with a singing Sunday afternoon. Among those who enjoyed it were: Misses Edna Gossett, Mamie, Queenie and Maggie Cothran, Rosa, Annie, Daisy and Lucy Holliday, Messrs. Tom McDuffie, Westminster, Fred Clement, Mr. Geer of near Honea Path, Perry Phillips, Louie Rodgers of Fairview, Jim and Adger Cothran.

Mr. Frank Davenport is threshing out the grain in this section and reports a very good crop.

On account of the drought some of the farmers are busy planting over their cotton crops.

CHEDDAR NEWS

Dr. Gardner of Greenville filled the pulpit at this place on last Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor, Rev. M. M. McCuen, who is engaged in a series of meetings at Ninety Six. Dr. Gardner chose as his subject that old and yet ever new text, "Repentance" and spoke in his forceful way of the country churches and the good they were doing in sending out so many great men as ministers.

Mr. and Mrs. James Duncan of Belton visited in Cheddar Sunday.

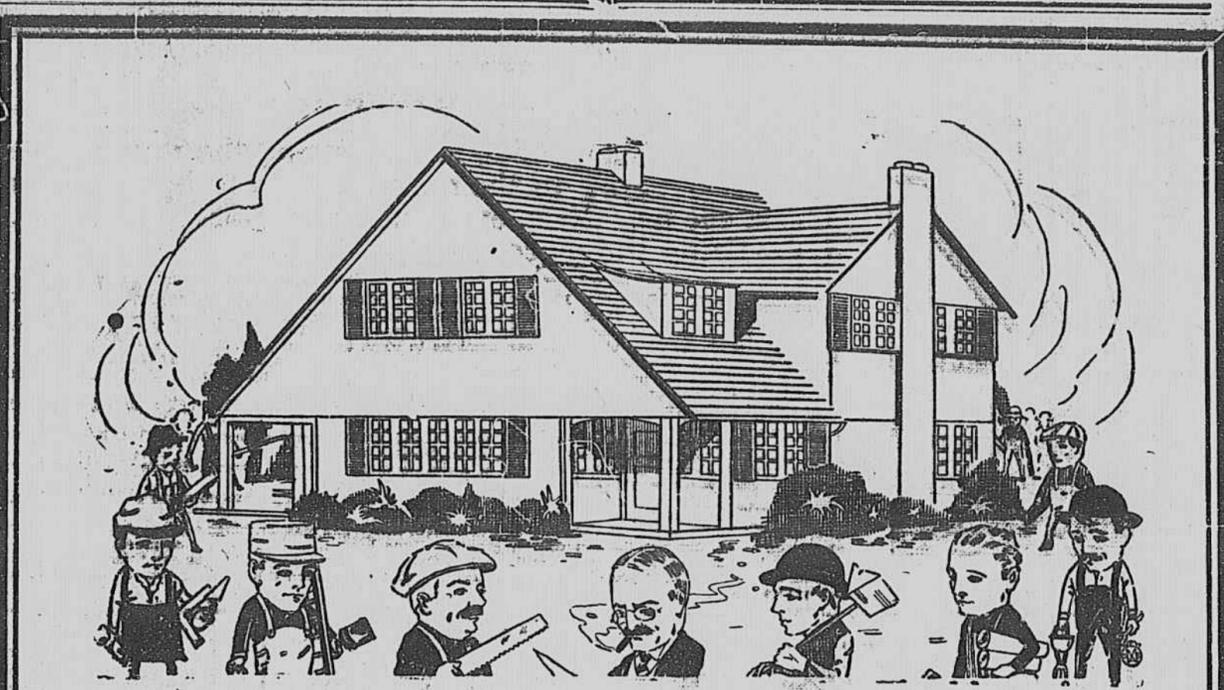
Mr. John Stringer and daughters, Misses Gladys and Lila, of Hopewell spent Saturday and Sunday with friends.

Misses Allie Major, Lucy and Floride Kelly of Belton, and Messrs Lee Milford of Long Branch and Albert Dickson of Pelzer were guests of Misses Lola and Kate Copeland Sunday.

The Ladies Civic Association will meet at the school house on next Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members are urged to attend this meeting.

Among those who attended services at this place on last Sunday were Miss Della Elrod and Miss Cox of Whitefield, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davenport and niece, Miss Olive Davenport of Belton, Messrs. Rauben Cochran of Greenville and Jim Wilson of Williamston and Mr. and Mrs. Hale of Williamston.

Many homes in this and other counties as well are being brightened by the presence of the boys and girls who are returning from college. Some of these are "Sweet Girl Graduates" and others are strong stalwart young men who have spent months in study and preparation that they might be better fitted to make for themselves a place in the world. No wonder their shoulders are erect, the step elastic and the face smiling. Hope glids the future's way and they come forth to do battle with the world feeling that success is within their reach and their most sanguine hopes about to be realized. It has been said that a college education will do more than anything else to bring out the true mettle of a boy or girl. If there is anything good in them it will help to develop it and if not the bad side will show up. In either case there is a strong responsibility resting on the



Two Ways of House Hunting

ONE WAY is to take your wife and children and walk up one street and down another looking for "For Rent" signs. When you find one that you think may suit, you have no key to it and cannot see the inside of it.

ANOTHER WAY---the easiest way ---is to sit down and read the ads in the "For Rent" columns of The Intelligencer, pick out the one you think will suit you, and then go to the men who offer them for rent and get the keys. Get on the inside of the house and then you'll know whether you want it or not.

STILL ANOTHER WAY is to advertise in the "Wanted to Rent" column, describing the kind of house and location you desire.

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boy or girl who has had the benefit of special training. There are many worthy ones left at home who gladly have grasped these opportunities for studying but were not able, or perhaps stern duty pointed out another path for them to walk. What an inspiration to them would be the friendship of those who have had better advantages! Then the commu-

ty, especially in the country, needs the services of young people—the church needs them—and tho it may be a very small corner that they can fill, or a very small work that they can do, yet they can make their influence be felt for good. Even if there is no other work to be done the home needs them. They have been away from home for months and perhaps father and mother have stunted and saved to give them

the good things of life and sacrifice every pleasure for their sake. Now during the summer months is the time to help repay their love and show that it is appreciated. That stooped, worn-out father would be glad to have a strong arm at the plow, and the tired, over-worked little mother would be pleased to have a little help with the canning and cooking. It is so much better to do work of this

kind—neat the hands will not stay soft and white—than to spend hours over some bit of fancy work for mother who is too tired to enjoy it. And then along with this work and training there must be some aim, something definite for which to work and the success of this aim will depend entirely on the amount of enthusiasm, energy and determination put into the work.